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Board and Lodging per Week	$ 6 00
do do per Day	1 00
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Single Meals	37½
Beds	50

The Bar is well supplied with the best Wines, Liquors and Cigars.

A Fireproof Safe in the House. au28 dwtf

Colonial Hotel and Restaurant,

GOVERNMENT STREET, VICTORIA B.C.

THE UNDERSIGNED HAVING PURCHASED the Colonial Hotel and Restaurant, will spare no effort to keep the establishment in first class style and render guests as comfortable as in any house on the Coast.

None but the Best Wines, Liquors and Cigars will be dispensed.

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Advertisement.

SAVANA'S FERRY, March 5, 1874.

EDITOR COLONIST:—Please insert the following, as they send me the STANDARD after being notified to the contrary:

I hereby notify the Editor of the STANDARD not to send any more copies of the STANDARD to my address, or I will return them unopened; but to send his bill if anything is due.

JAMES UREN.

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John Teague,

ARCHITECT,

Yates street, opp. Bowman's Stables.

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PRIVATE BILLS.

PARTIES INTENDING TO MAKE APPLICATION to Parliament for Private Bills, either for granting exclusive privileges, or conferring corporate powers for commercial or other purposes of profit, or for doing anything tending to affect the rights or property of other parties, are hereby notified that they are required by the Rules of the two Houses of Parliament, (which are published in full in the Canada "Gazette"), to give TWO MONTHS' NOTICE of the application (clearly and distinctly specifying its nature and object), in the Canada "Gazette," and also in a newspaper published in the County or Union of Counties affected, sending copies of the papers containing the first and last of such notices to the Private Bill Office of each House.

All Petitions for Private Bills must be presented within the FIRST THREE WEEKS of the Session.

ROBERT LEMOINE,
Clerk of the Senate.

ALFRED PATRICK,
Clerk of the House of Commons.

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Never Failing and Perfectly Harmless.

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DEPUTY GOVERNORS:

THE RIGHT HON. THE EARL OF DALKEITH, M. P.
THE RIGHT HON. THE EARL OF STAIR, K. T.

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3 and 5 George Street, Edinburgh.
82 King William Street, } London.
3 Pall Mall, East, }
66 Upper Sackville Street, Dublin.

MANAGER & ACTUARY—Wm. Thos. Thompson, F.R.S.E.
COLONIAL & FOREIGN SECRETARY—D. Clunie Gregor.

Total Amount of Invested Funds, £4,095,589 16 2.

Annual Revenue, £703,450 19 9.

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je11 And Washington Territory.

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Eighth Division of Profits.

THE REPORT of the investigation of the Company's affairs and Division of Profits as at 15th November, 1870, can be had on application at any of the Company's Branch Offices or Agencies.

THE COMPANY has divided Profits on Eight occasions since its establishment in 1825.

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ANNUAL INCOME upwards of £700 000.

INVESTED FUNDS upwards of £4,000,000.

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Prompt cash payment and full power to settle all losses and claims without referring to the Head Office in London.

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CAPITAL, $2,000,000 STERLING.

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Stock and Mutual Plans Combined.

Deposited with Dominion Government for Security of Policyholders, $50,000.

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A strong company which combines strength of capital, character and local influence and provides life insurance at the lowest safe rates without delusive promises of dividends, making a good dividend CERTAIN by decreasing the premium.

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A company with capital and breadth enough to be safe beyond question, with national extent and prestige, and yet a HOME company throughout the Dominion.

WILLIAM McCABE,
General Manager, Toronto.

The fullest information will be cheerfully furnished on application to

JOHN ROBSON, Government st., Victoria,
General Agent for British Columbia and Washington Territory, oc22

New Advertisements.

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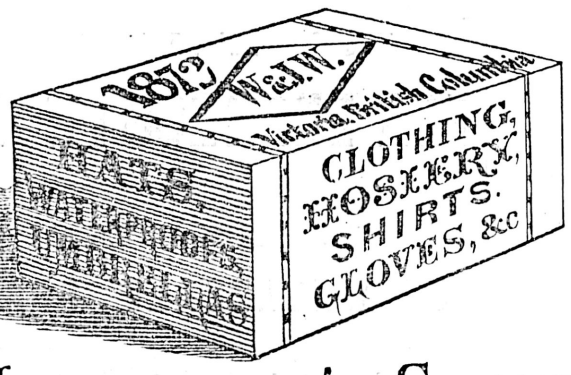
LATEST STYLES in CLOTHING HATS &c.



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SIX THOROUGH-BRED DURHAM SHORT-HORN BULLS!

FROM KENTUCKY,

Will be in Portland, Oregon, in about 3 Weeks,

REDS & ROANS, 1 TO 3 YEARS OLD,

AND ALL AMERICAN HERD BOOK RECORDED.

Will stop 4 days en route to Walla Walla.

These Bulls are from the Finest Herds in Kentucky and weigh from 1000 to 2100 pounds.

We will sell any of the above and advise parties in want to come and see them.

Parties writing us at Cosmopolitan Hotel, Portland, will be informed the exact date of our arrival.

Part Credit given responsible parties if desired.

ROLLIN P. SAXE & BRO.,
IMPORTERS OF
THOROUGHBRED CATTLE & SHEEP.
ja31dw

THOS. HODGES,
Baker and Grocer,
Corner of Douglas and Pandora streets.

BREAD AND GROCERIES DELIVERED by my Cart to any part of the City Free of Charge
no8

J. FINLAYSON,
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Tea and Coffee Dealer,
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BEST JAVA COFFEE FRESH ROASTED and ground daily.
Goods delivered to any part of city. je10

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IMPORTERS OF
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HAVE BRANCH HOUSES AT YALE, Quesnellemouth, Barkerville and the Forks of Quesnelle.

Commission Merchants and wholesale Dealers in RICE, SUGAR, OPIUM, AND ALL KINDS OF CHINESE MERCHANDISE AND PROVISIONS.

ALSO ON HAND—Congou Tea in half chests; Basket and all kinds of Best Teas; Duck Jumpers and Pants; Denim Overalls and Jumpers; and a variety of other goods too numerous to mention. no14

DISSOLUTION.

THE COPARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE existing under the name and style of Herdman & Grimm, Blacksmiths and Wheelwrights, in Cormorant street, was this day dissolved by mutual consent. The business will in future be carried on by John Herdman, who will pay all indebtedness of the late firm and collect all outstanding accounts. Persons indebted will please settle old accounts to 31st Dec., 1873.

JOHN HERDMAN,
WILLIAM GRIMM.

WITNESS—T. H. Lincker.
Victoria, Feb. 26th, 1874. fe28

PRIVATE BOARDING HOUSE
KANE STREET.
Bet. Douglas and Blanchard Sts.

THE ABOVE ESTABLISHMENT IS CONducted by

Mrs. D. Macdonald,

Board per Week - - - - - - - - - $6 00
do and Lodgings per Week - - - 8 00
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ZAN BROTHERS,
Manufacturers of
BROOMS, BRUSHES AND WISPS,
FRONT STREET, BET. OAK AND PINE,
PORTLAND, OREGON.
Agents for Victoria - - - J. P. DAVIES & CO
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THE QUARANTINE CLAIMS.

ON AND AFTER TUESDAY NEXT, THE 17th inst., these claims will be paid at the Office of the Assistant Receiver General, Fort street.

Powers of Attorney and Proxy Orders must be left one clear day for examination.

JOHN GRAHAM.
Asst. Receiver-General.
Victoria, March 10th, 1874. mh11

New Custom House Blanks
FOR SALE IN ANY QUANTITY
At the COLONIST OFFICE

Miscellaneous.

POST OFFICE NOTICE.

Arrival and Closing of Mails at Victoria.

MAILS.	ARRIVE.	CLOSE.
Canada, Great Britain Europe, and U. S., per Prince Alfred	About the 10th and 25th of each Month	About the 12th and 27th of each month.
Do. via Olympia	Monday and Thursday 2 P.M.	Tuesday 10:30 A.M; Thursday 5:30 P.M.
New Westminster, Cariboo and Intermediate Offices.	Thursday at 4 P.M.	Tuesday at 5:30 P.M.
Nanaimo and East Coast Offices	Thursday at 5 P.M.	Monday 5:30 P.M.
Esquimalt	Daily at 10:30 A.M. and 2:30 P.M.	Daily, at 11 A.M. and 4 P.M.
Metchosin	Monday, 1 P.M.	Tuesday, 12 Noon.
Saanich	Thursday, 10 A.M.	Wednesday, 9 A.M.
Sooke	Monday, 3 P.M.	Tuesday, 9 A.M.

MONEY ORDERS.

MONEY ORDERS ON GREAT BRITAIN ISSUED AND PAID.

OFFICE HOURS—From 9 A.M. to 6 P.M.
FOR MONEY ORDERS—From 10 A.M. to 4 P.M., except on Mail Days, when Money Orders will not be issued.

HENRY WOOTTON, Postmaster.

POST OFFICE, VICTORIA, 30th August, 1871. ja1

YOUNG LADIES
BOARDING AND DAY SCHOOL,
FAIRFIELD TERRACE TOP OF FORT ST.,
VICTORIA, V.I.

IN CONNECTION WITH THIS INSTITUTION are private FRENCH CLASSES every afternoon except Saturday, from 3½ to 8 o'clock. TERMS MODERATE. MADAME PETIBEAU,
ja28 5m Principal.

NOTICE.
Department of Indian Affairs.

DURING THE ABSENCE OF THE INDIAN Commissioner, Mr. Hamilton Moffatt has been appointed to act in the management of Indian Affairs. J. W. POWELL, Lieut. Col.
Indian Commissioner.
Indian Office, Yates st.,
Victoria, Feb. 25, 1874. fe26

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STEAM
Book & Job Printing
OFFICE.

THE PROPRIETOR HAVING ADDED a large assortment of

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....TO HIS....

FAST JOB PRESSES

is now prepared to execute all orders, from Town and Country, in the best style of the art, and at

VERY LOW RATES.

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NOTICE.
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GEO. FRANCIS begs to notify the public that his Team stands opposite his Stables on Trounce alley ready for hire at any hour of the Day or Night
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DR. YING,
From the College of Medicine, Canton.
LATELY ARRIVED.

CURES CONSUMPTION, BLEEDING OF THE Lungs, Paralysis, and other diseases.
Johnson street, next door to On Hing's. fe1 3m

R. B. THOMPSOM,
DENTIST
UP STAIRS in Brick Building
Langley Street, near Yates,
VICTORIA, B. C.

Teeth filled with fine Gold, Artificial Bone and Platina.

All Plate Work made and repaired, of the latest material, at the shortest notice and warranted.

Particular attention paid to correcting irregularities in children's teeth. Hours from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.

FEES MODERATE. mh5

ABSOLUTELY THE BEST PROTECTION AGAINST FIRE

The Babcock
PORTABLE FIRE EXTINGUISHER

Self-Acting

FIRE ENGINE
AND
HOOK AND LADDER TRUCKS.

In daily use by the Fire Departments of the principal cities of the Union. The Government has adopted them. The leading railways use them.

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General Agents for Pacific Coast.
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312 California street, San Francisco.

James S. Drummond,
AGENT FOR BRITISH COLUMBIA.
oc31 4mdw

WONDERFUL DISCOVERY—Corns cured in one day by using ALEX. ROSS'S CHIROPO.—This preparation gradually dissolves the Corn in a few hours. 248 High Holborn, London. To be had of
aul dw LANGLEY & CO., Chemists, Victoria.

SPANISH FLY is the acting ingredient in ALEX. ROSS'S CANTHARIDES OIL, which speedily produces whiskers and thickens hair. ALEX. ROSS, 248 High Holborn, London. Sold by
au dw LANGLEY & CO., Chemists, Victoria.

HAIR DESTROYER.—248, High Holborn, London.—ALEX. ROSS'S Depilatory removes superfluous hair from the face, neck and arms without effect to the skin. Had of LANGLEY & CO.,
aul dw Chemists, Victoria.

ONE Box of CLARKE'S B41 PILLS

IS warranted to cure all discharges from the Urinary Organs, in either sex, acquired or constitutional, Gravel and Pains in the Back. Sold in Boxes 4s 6d each, by all Chemists and Patent Medicine Vendors.

Sole Proprietor, F. J. CLARKE,
APOTHECARIES' HALL, LINCOLN, ENGLAND.

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And all the Wholesale Houses.

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" Lymans, Clare and Co.
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A. Casamayou & Co.,
YATES ST., VICTORIA.

COMMISSION MERCHANTS AND WHOLESALE Dealers in
GROCERIES, PROVISIONS, HAVANA CIGARS
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THOS. TROUNCE,
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OFFICE, ON KANE ST. ABOVE DOUGLAS.

PLANS AND SPECIFICATIONS CAREfully prepared for Public Buildings or Private Residences, and the usual business of an Architect promptly executed. ja5 3m

Notices.

NOTICE.

FROM AND AFTER THIS DATE I WILL only accept Coin for Rent, as well as for other Payments to be made to me.
de30 LD. LOWENBERG

MR. HELMCKEN

MAY BE CONSULTED AT HIS OFFICE Victoria, between the hours of 9 and 12 in the morning, or at his residence, James Bay, in the evening mh4

Public Notice.

Corporation of the City of Victoria

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT UNless the taxes due to the Corporation be paid to me forthwith I shall proceed to recover the same under the 28th section of the "Municipality Act Amendment Act, 1873."

"In case any person neglects to pay his taxes for fourteen days after a demand has been made, the Collector shall, by himself or his Agent, levy the same with costs, by distress of the goods and chattels of the person who ought to pay the same, or of any goods or chattels in his possession wherever the same may be found within the Province."

THOS. RUSSELL,
Municipal Council Chambers, 21st Nov., 1873. Collector M. C.
no22

MUNICIPAL NOTICE.

City of Victoria, Province of British Columbia,
To Wit:

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT (after this date) any person or persons who shall be found removing any stones, earth or gravel from any public street or streets within the limits of the City of Victoria aforesaid, or who shall be found depositing any stones, earth, ashes or rubbish on or upon any public street or streets within the aforesaid limits, without having first obtained the permission of the Mayor and Council (or the Street Committee in their behalf) so to do, will be prosecuted with the utmost rigor of the law.

By order of the Mayor and Council,
WM. LEIGH, C.M.C.
City Clerk's Office, Oct. 31, 1873. no1

Notice.

MR. THEODORE DAVIE, SOLICITOR and Notary Public, has removed his office to the brick building on Langley street, next door to the late Custom House. ja9

NOTICE.

THE BUSINESS OF REAL ESTATE AGENT carried on by the undersigned will for the future be conducted on my behalf by THOS LETT STAHLSCHMIDT under the name of

ROBT. BURNABY & CO.,
On Government street, as heretofore.
R. BURNABY.
Victoria, B.C., 24th Feb., 1874. mh3 1m

NOTICE.
To all whom it may Concern.

LOST IN THE NEIGHBORHOOD OF CACHE Creek two Promissory Notes, bearing date Oct. 11th, 1873, and signed by Barnes and Brink, in favor of Cornwall Bros.

All parties are hereby warned against negotiating in any way the said notes.

ASHCROFT, Jan. 8th, 1874. ja18d

Notice

IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT FROM AND after this date I will not be responsible for any debts contracted by my wife, Mary Peterson, as she has left my bed and board without any cause.

JOHN PETERSON.
Kamloops, B.C., 12th Jan., 1874. fe6dw

NOTICE

DURING MY ABSENCE FROM THE PROvince, my Power of Attorney dated 16th September, 1865, will continue to be held by Mr. Thomas Lett Stahlschmidt, who will act for myself and all others whose powers I hold.

ROBT. BURNABY.
Victoria, B.C., 24th Feb., 1874. mh3 1m

Boots and Shoes.

R. MAYNARD,
Occidental Buildings, Fort Street.

Just Received Per PACIFIC,

SHOE LEATHER & FINDINGS
IN GREAT VARIETY,
Uppers of every Description and Quality
READY FOR BOTTOMING.

BOOTS & SHOES MADE TO ORDER.

Cash Paid for Hides. de80

VICTORIA
BOOT & SHOE MANUFACTORY
Government st, next to the New Post Office, Victoria,

W. HEATHORN, Prop'r.

BOOTS AND SHOES NOW SUPPLIED at a considerable reduction on former Rates. A Large Assortment (suitable for the Fall Trade) now on hand.

Wholesale Agents—Welch, Rithet & Co. Wharf street.

BOOTS & SHOES Made to Measure.

LEATHER & FINDINGS FOR SALE. se19dw3m

WILLIAMS' STAGES

WILL COMMENCE TO-DAY MAKING Regular Trips between Victoria and Esquimalt and Return; and Victoria and Saanich, and return as follows:

Carrying MAILS & PASSENGERS.

Will leave Victoria for Esquimalt—Daily at 8 a.m., 11 a.m. and 4 p.m.

Will leave Esquimalt for Victoria—Daily at 9:30 a.m., ½ p.m. and 5 p.m.

Will leave Victoria for Saanich every Wednesday at 9 a.m.

Return—Will leave Saanich for Victoria Same Day at 4 p.m.

ap3 J. W. WILLIAMS, Prop'r.

FREDERICK REYNOLDS
FAMILY
BUTCHER,
Wholesale and Retail Dealer in
Meats and Vegetables,

PURVEYOR BY APPOINTMENT TO HER MAJESTY ROYAL NAVY.

THE BEST ASSORTMENT OF ISLAND and Mainland BEEF AND MUTTON constantly on hand.

Hotels, Restaurants and Families supplied at short notice, and Meats delivered FREE OF CHARGE to any part of the City or Suburbs with accuracy and dispatch

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mh10 LONDON MARKET

HUNG GAY,
GOVERNMENT STREET next to the San Francisco Baths,
CONTRACTOR AND INTELLIGENCE OFFICE,
LABOR of all kinds supplied at short notice. ja14

Daily British Colonist.

THURSDAY MORNING, MARCH 19TH 1874.

L. P. FISHER, 20 and 21 New Merchants' Exchange is our authorized Agent in San Francisco.

Our Elder Sisters.

When this was a Crown Colony we had frequent occasion to lament the ignorance and want of proper feeling displayed in England, even in official circles, where a proper knowledge of British Columbia and its wants should have been a matter of business. Recent events have led us to consider how much better off in this respect we are in the hands of our elder sisters than we were in the hands of our mother. Unfamiliarity with the geography of the country, ignorance of its politics, misconception of its public men and general ignorance of its affairs and the genius of its people are but too plainly written upon the press of old Canada. All this, however, we could have borne, feeling assured that in time British Columbia would come to be better known and consequently better understood and appreciated. But we confess that it is not quite so easy to take a philosophic view of the spirit in which a portion of the press has commented upon the recent political crisis in this Province. The question giving immediate rise to the agitation, although in some sense Federal in its nature and consequences, was one proper to the Province purely Provincial in the first instance. A proposition to alter the Terms of Union was submitted, *not* to the people, as one might have expected, but to a body which it is to be feared only to a limited extent possesses the confidence of the people. This submission was made in a way and under circumstances but too well calculated to arouse the most painful apprehensions in the public mind. The people took the alarm, and said with one voice, "No change in the Terms of Union shall be made until its nature and purport are properly understood; and no change in the railway obligations of Canada shall be entertained without a full submission to the people;" and a large body of the people went over to the Parliament buildings, not in tumultuous rowdyism, as has been represented, but in all the decorum of sober earnestness, to present resolutions embodying that decision to their representatives. Was there anything wrong in all this? Yet to this eminently proper and dignified proceeding we find riot, rebellion, secession, annexation and such like terms applied. But, worse than all this, British Columbia is cavalierly told, in a spirit of heartlessness which ought to make every loyal Canadian blush, that if she is not content to submit to whatever railway policy it may suit the humour and convenience of Canada, or perhaps it would be more proper to say the Mackenzie Administration, to offer she may pick up her traps and leave—shift for herself—a sentiment strikingly analagous to that with which Tennyson so bitterly taunted England, little more than a year ago, in those memorable words:

> "That true North whereof we lately heard
> A strain to shame us—Keep to yourselves;
> So loyal is too costly! Friendship your love
> Is but a burthen: loose the band and go."

Is this to be the inglorious end of that magnificent scheme of Empire we have been taught to contemplate? Is this the new doctrine of national faith and honor held by the Puritans? We will not believe that Mr. Mackenzie can have any sympathy with doctrines which would give the lie to his life-long professions and actions too. We prefer to believe, and we do believe that, misled in the first instance by our own special delegate, Mr. Mackenzie is now misrepresented by a section of the press. As for British Columbia, she has claimed and will claim no more than the fulfillment of those rights secured to her by solemn treaty and ratified by the QUEEN. Nor will Mr. Mackenzie find her either unreasonable or exacting as to the manner of their fulfillment, provided an honest determination to do justly by her be evinced by the new Administration. But British Columbia has a decided objection to being made the mere plaything, a sort of shuttlecock and battledore, so to speak, between two political parties with neither of whom she can be supposed as yet to have any very decided sympathies. Let a *bona fide* commencement of the railway on the Pacific seaboard be made, and let an honest disposition to keep faith with her be evinced by the New Administration, and Mr. Mackenzie will find British Columbia both loyal and reasonable.

King Coal.

The world has entered upon the era of Iron and Steam, and Coal is king. Long live King Coal! It is a noteworthy circumstance that exhaustless coal stores exist precisely at the natural outlet of the Dominion of Canada upon both of the great oceans. Nova Scotia, Cape Breton, even Newfoundland have exhaustless stores, a monopoly of coal on the Atlantic seaboard of North America, while on this side Vancouver stands forth the proud monopolist of the North Pacific. But that is not all. At midway across the continent Canada possesses enormous coal beds. Says an Ontario contemporary: "Recent geological surveys of the new Territories of the Far West have revealed the very important fact that the known coal deposits of the Rocky Mountain region extend over an area of upward of two hundred and fifty thousand square miles in strata varying from five to thirty-five feet in thickness." Thus the Dominion of Canada possesses the means of making herself supreme upon both oceans and of monopolizing the trans-continental carrying trade. It remains to be seen how far she is equal to the task of working out the great destiny thus marked out for her by bountiful nature. Canada already ranks third among the maritime powers. With such enormous natural advantages she should soon rank first.

☞ For bargains in Clothing (both over and under) in Hand Knit Socks, in Felt Hats, in Myrtle Navy Tobacco, go to J. H. TODD'S Canadian Store, Yates street near Wharf. N.B.—Remember, no 15 per cent. duty to pay there. * *

New Advertisements.

Sealed Tenders

FOR THE ERECTION OF A COTTAGE at the Southwest corner of Cook and Scoresby Sts will be received at the office of the undersigned, where plans and specifications may be seen, up to 4 p. m. on Wednesday, 25th March.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

EDWARD MOHUN, C.E.,
Government street.
mh19 1w

NOTICE.

THE TRANSMISSION OF GOLD DUST AND Bullion through Her Majesty's Mails in the Province of British Columbia will be suspended from the 1st April next.

ROBT. WALLACE,
Postoffice Inspector.
Victoria, March 17th, 1874. mh19

Provincial Agricultural Society.

A MEETING OF THE ABOVE SOCIETY will be held at the City Council Chambers, Victoria, on Saturday, the 21st inst., at 1 p.m.

By order, THOS. RUSSELL, Secty.
Victoria, March 16th, 1874. de17

TO THE PUBLIC.

THE SHIPWRIGHTS OF VICTORIA WHO have been employed in repairing the Steamer North Pacific take this method of expressing their deep sense of the kind, considerate and generous manner in which they have been treated by the owners, the Messrs. Starr, while the steamer was in progress of repair. Better men we never worked for, and for the kind and liberal treatment we have received we are heartily thankful, and wish the worthy gentlemen and their staunch boat a long career of prosperity.
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Private Bills.

HOUSE OF ASSEMBLY, 12th March, 1874.

NOTICE OF INTENDED APPLICATION FOR a Private Bill, clearly and distinctly specifying the nature and object of the application, must be published in the British Columbia GAZETTE and in a newspaper published in the District affected, or if there be no newspaper published therein, then in a newspaper in the nearest District in which a newspaper is published. Such notice must be continued for six weeks prior to the consideration of the petition for the Bill. The Rules relative to notices of Private Bills are published in full in the British Columbia GAZETTE

J. ROLAND HETT,
mh17 Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.

GOVERNMENT NOTICE.

The Collector of Customs thinks it right to give Public Notice that no port on the Stickeen River, or on the North Coast of British Columbia in connection with the Stickeen River, has yet been declared a port of entry by the Government at Ottawa, and that under these circumstances, and until orders to the contrary are issued by the Government, all foreign goods intended for the mines at Dease Lake and its neighborhood must be entered, and duty on them collected, at one of the existing ports of entry in British Columbia. Every facility will be given for passing such goods, as in other cases at Victoria or Esquimalt. On foreign goods already passed up the North Coast, and intended for these mines, duty will be collected at the Boundary Post or at Buck's Bar, and on payment of duty they will be allowed to be taken for consumption into British Columbia.

W. HAMLEY.
CUSTOM HOUSE, VICTORIA, March 14th, 1874. mh17dw

To Gardeners and others.

TO BE LET—FIVE ACRES OF EXCELLENT Garden Land on Cadboro Bay Road.

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To Miners Bound for Cassiar.

FELL & CO.
FORT STREET, VICTORIA,

BEG TO CALL YOUR ATTENTION TO AN IMportant omission from the card of Mr. Clarke (published in THE COLONIST) with regard to the price of goods at Lear & Co's store. The omission is this: That from **15 to 20 per cent. duty** has to be paid on goods purchased at Fort Wrangel on entering the British possessions. Goods bought from us will be sold much below the Wrangel price, and will enter the diggings **Duty Free.** mh14

Caution to Miners.

THE LIST OF PRICES OF GOODS AT Lear & Co's store, Fort Wrangel, published in THE COLONIST, is no doubt correct; but the writer omits one important fact, viz: **That goods purchased at that place are subject to Duty on reaching Stickeen River.**

mh14 A MINER.

BAGNALL'S PIANO AND MUSIC STORE

HAS BEEN ENLARGED AND STOCKED with a fine selection of

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A CARD.

EDITOR COLONIST:—I hereby annex a list of articles which I think are most required, and the prices here at King Lear's store, Fort Wrangel:

FLOUR—$5 per cwt.
SUGAR—18 cents.
BACON—18 cents.
COFFEE—Green, 40 cts; ground, 50 cts.
YEAST POWDERS—$3 50 per dozen.
AXES—$2 00 and $2 50.
MOCASSINS—75 cts to $1.
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GOOD FUR CAPS—75 cts to $1
SNOW SHOES—$4.

Other things in proportion and plenty of them at the store.

SLEDS are preferable to Tobogans for river travel.

JOHN CLARKE.
WRANGEL, March 5, 1874. mh13 1m

JOHN PARKER. WILL. OWENS

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BEG TO INFORM THE INHABITANTS of Victoria and vicinity that they will open the above market on **Friday next, August 22d,** and intend to keep constantly on hand a choice selection of

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Which they will offer at the VERY LOWEST RATES, and hope by strict attention to business to merit a share of public patronage.

Goods delivered Free of Charge. Hotels, Families and Shipping supplied at Short Notice. ja19

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On account of Removal of Business

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In all Classes of Goods, as the whole Stock will be offered at Prices unprecedentedly LOW.

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THE UNDERSIGNED OFFERS FOR SALE at LOW PRICES the following stock:

100 Head of young Cows and 2 year old Heifers.
100 Head of Yearling Heifers.

The above can be seen at the foot of Okanagan Lake till the 1st of May, and on the 15th May at Kamloops.

THOS. ELLIS.
PENTICTON, Okanagan, March 1, 1874. mh17dw

Lots for Sale or Lease at a Reasonable Figure.

TOWN LOTS CORNER OF VIEW AND Vancouver streets being 60x120 feet each, Nos. 782 and 783, together. Titles good.

Apply to PARIS CARTER,
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Notice to Builders.

SEALED TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVed at my store on Government street, where plans and specification may be seen, till noon of the 21st day of March next, for the erection of a two-storey Brick building with stone basement on Government street.

Tenders for the Carpenter and Brickwork will be required separately. J. SEHL.

FOR SALE AT A BARGAIN.

THREE WOOD BUILDINGS ON GOVERNment street, between Fort and Bastion streets.

ALSO—The House and Lot now occupied by me as a Furniture store.

For particulars apply to J. SEHL,
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THE STAUNCH SLOOP "DUNCAN" 10 tons burthen, well found in anchors, sails and rigging, and ready for sea, is offered for sale. She is well adapted for Northwest Coast trade. Apply at the NORTH PACIFIC SALOON.
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FIDALGO, Whatcom Co., W. T., March 3d, 1874. mh13 2w dw

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THE UNDERSIGNED WILL SELL AT private sale the Swan Lake Hotel.

For particulars apply at Hotel, Saanich Road
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A FARM WITHIN A VERY SHORT DIStance of Victoria, partly cleared and partly covered with timber. It would be a good investment, if only for the firewood upon it, which amounts to millions of cords. Apply at The COLONIST Office between the hours of 11 a.m. and 1 p.m. ja6dw

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J. D. PRYANT,
Secty. and Treas. School Board.
South Saanich, March 6th. mh7

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A NURSE GIRL—

Apply to MRS. ROSCOE, Ross Bay.
mh10 Or to FELLOWS & ROSCOE, Yates st.

WANTED.

A FEMALE TEACHER FOR THE GRANville School, Burrard Inlet. Salary, $50 per month with House rent free. Duties to commence in April. Apply, stating qualifications, to

RICHARD ALEXANDER,
Secty. Trustee Board.
Burrard Inlet, March 4, 1874. mh10

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OF JOHN J. McBRIDE, OR HIS PARTNER, Mr. Ingram, late of Wallula, Washington Territory.

Please address WM. WOODLAND, Lime Works, San Juan Island, Washington Territory. mh14 2wdw

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CARRIAGE, WAGON, HORSE-SHOEING

—AND—

General Jobbing Establishment.

THE UNDERSIGNED IN RETURNING thanks to his numerous friends for their kind patronage and support during the last fourteen years, begs leave to announce that he is still in the field, and that on Monday next, the 8th December, the doors of the old shop, corner of Government and Pandora streets, will be thrown open to the general public.

The business in future will be under the sole control and management of the undersigned, who will spare no pains to make negotiations agreeable and easy.

Although my past experience in the business and long intercourse with the public, together with my well established reputation as a manufacturer, render further assurance unnecessary, I still feel bound to say that all work entrusted to my charge will be executed in a workmanlike and satisfactory manner.

☞ Orders from abroad solicited.

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No Firm Shall Undersell Us!

The Purchaser can depend upon having the BEST GOODS that can be obtained, and at the same time FULL WEIGHT and packed to order.

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To Gardners and others.

TO BE LET—FIVE ACRES OF GOOD Garden Land in this city. Apply to

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THE ORDINARY FEES PAYABLE UPON interments are as follows:

For a burial in either of the two rows next to every gravel road..... $20 00
For a burial in any other row..... 12 50

Lower Fees are payable for the burial of Children under ten years of age.

Upon good cause being shown the fees in any instance are either reduced or altogether remitted.

J. H. TURNER,
Chairman of the Cemetery Board.
March 12th, 1874. mh13

Belmont Tanning and Boot and Shoe Manufact'g Co., Limited.

NOTICE—THE NINTH AND LAST CALL OF 10 per cent. upon the Capital of the Company was resolved on and made this 11th February, 1874, and must be paid on or before the 16th March next, at the Bank of British Columbia.

By order of the Directors,

J. C. BALES, Secretary.
Victoria, 11th Feb., 1874 fe18

B. C. P. Orphan's Home.

MESSRS. SIFFKEN & ALLSOP ARE AUthorized to make collections for the above institution.

JNO. ROBSON,
fe23 Secretary.

Daily British Colonist.

THURSDAY MORNING, MARCH 19TH, 1874.

THE BRITISH COLONIST

Is the only Paper Published at Victoria that receives Regular Telegraphic Dispatches.

Court of Assize.

[Before Chief Justice Begbie and Justices Crease and Gray.]

WEDNESDAY, March 18.

The Court met at 11 a. m.

The trial of Thomas Schooley, indicted for *wilful murder*, was resumed.

Wm. Clark, sworn.—Am a constable; was one of the parties who arrested Schooley in the bedroom of Forman's house; [witness detailed his arrival with officers Beecher and McPhie at the house, Schooley's refusal to admit them, and the bursting in of the front door]. Opened the door leading into the dining-room and saw Schooley behind it, with a pistol in his hand; he fired at me; the ball passed between me and constable Beecher and lodged in the panel of the door, behind us; we then retired. When he fired he said: "Get out of here you sons of b——!" I considered him drunk.

Judge Gray here expressed his surprise that this information was not down in the depositions; and wished the Attorney-General to request that more minute particulars should be extracted in the Police Court.

The Attorney General said that he had no power.

Judge Gray—True; but you might request that it should be done. How is it possible that Mr. Robertson can test the credibility of these witnesses, who might tell one story in one place and another here, and there would be no check upon them? These details are sparse and unsatisfactory and interfere with the proper administration of justice.

The Attorney General replied that he knew such to be the case, and that he had complained before; but with no effect.

Witness—Schooley came out and shut the door we had kicked in and blocked it with some of the broken boards. [Witness here repeated the "oft' told tale" of the arrest and said that Kay opened the door and that he and Kay jumped on and secured the prisoner.]

Cross-examined by Mr. Robertson.—The tendency of the cross-examination was to show that the prisoner was crazy from the effects of drink, and that his action before and after his arrest supported that theory.

By Judge Gray.—The room smelt strongly of port-wine and a demijohn stood at Schooley's feet.

W. H. Kay, sworn.—Assisted in arresting Schooley; I was acting as a special constable; Clark promised to stand by me and I entered the kitchen by the window; I sat down and ate supper (laughter); I then unlocked the kitchen door; I was ten minutes or a quarter of an hour taking supper.

The Attorney General.—And kept the poor policemen starving outside all the time [laughter].

Witness.—Oh, no! I handed Bowden and Clark out a portion of the supper [Renewed merriment]. After I had got through my supper and had fed the policemen [uprerious laughter] I unlocked the kitchen door. I entered the dining-room and looked about it with the aid of a dark-lantern. I closed a door leading into the hall. Then I tried a door on the left side of the dining-room; the door opened about six inches and knocked against something. I thought the obstruction was a rug and pushed still further. The object moved and I heard a voice say, "Who's there; son of a ———, I'll shoot you!" I closed the door in order to get the assistance of the police; Clark was immediately behind me as I closed the door, and I whispered to him to close the door leading to the kitchen lest a popshot should be fired at us.

Mrs. Forman here appeared in the witness-box and gave information as to the way in which the doors opened, after which

Mr. Kay's evidence was resumed. Having closed the kitchen door to shut out the light, I reopened the bed-room door, and put out my hand to feel my way, and felt the prisoner's right shoulder; I then threw myself upon the prisoner, who was in a sitting posture; I pinioned him by putting my arms around him; I got him under and called for help, when Clark came in, followed by the rest of the police. A light was then brought in and we handcuffed the prisoner, after which I extricated myself from the policemen, who had thrown themselves upon me.

Some part of the evidence of this witness gave quite a serio-comic character to the proceedings. His account of coolly sitting down to supper after gaining admission, occupying some 15 minutes in so doing, coupled with his handing some part of the repast through the window to the police waiting outside, excited considerable merriment on the part of the learned judges, as well to the crowd assembled.

In answer to a question from the Bench how the witness would account for the prisoner not firing at him when he first threw himself upon him, witness replied, "because he did not pull the trigger."

Wm. Beecher, Constable, sworn.—Knew the prisoner; went in company with constables Clark and McPhie to Mr. Forman's house, on the night of Jan. 22nd; saw a light in the bed-room; called for admission; did not know at this time Schooley was in the house; a rough voice answered from within, "Who are you?" I said "we are the police." Prisoner said "go away;" both of us went to the second door in the hall, where prisoner fired a shot in the direction of Clark and witness, when we retreated. After this I saw prisoner trying to secure the door that had been burst in by placing pieces of wood against it.

Cross-examined by Mr. Robertson.—Witness could give no opinion as to the condition of the prisoner at this time.

This closed the case for the prosecution.

Mr. Robertson here commenced his address for the defence. In rising to address the Jury he stated the offence committed may be called a tragedy depriving two families of their mainstays; one witness was happily spared the agony of being present, viz, the wife of the unhappy prisoner. The learned counsel then spoke of the unpleasant position he occupied in defending the prisoner, and of the prejudice on the part of some persons to which he had consequently been subjected. When a crime of the character was committed, so unusual to the prisoner's former conduct, it was necessary to go into his previous history to throw some light upon the causes that led to the commission of the crime. Allusion was here made to the prisoner's coming to British Columbia, and to his marriage, in which reference was made to the first altercation that took place between prisoner and the deceased, which afterwards was condoned by subsequent reconciliation, forgotten and forgiven; therefore the idea that revenge had been cherished on the part of the prisoner, there was nothing to show any such animus leading to the murder. Coming to the evening of the 22nd of January Counsel considered that a crime of this character might be regarded as manslaughter, not murder; there was nothing in the conduct of the prisoner to justify the supposition of decided insanity. Here the learned counsel read an extract from a medical work and then contended that the prisoner did not kill Forman with malice aforethought, but from some insane idea then possessing him; the prisoner had no motive to kill the deceased. There was no feeling of revenge, and the absence of malice showed that he had no serious intention to kill Forman. The commission of the crime was then imputed to the drunkenness of the prisoner, and which, though not excusing the prisoner, would justify the Jury taking it into consideration. Allusion was here made to the drinking habits of the prisoner, from which demoralising effects he put himself in a state of mind favorable to the commission of the crime; as to what he had done, the indisposition to escape showed he was unconscious of the offence, and of its terrible consequences. The prisoner's appearance and conduct when first arrested proved this. The prisoner's possession of firearms, so repugnant to British feeling, was palliated by his having lived where weapons were generally carried on the person. The learned counsel then referred to the kindness of the prisoner in sending money to his wife and mother-in-law, and again commented upon the beastly condition in which the prisoner was at the time of the murder, showing that his body and mind were so demoralized that he could not be fairly charged with the crime of wilful murder, and more especially as there was no previous malice existing; but that a verdict of manslaugter against him would be properly in accordance with the dictates of mercy and his sentence to imprisonment instead of taking the life of the prisoner, would, under the circumstances of the case, be an adequate punishment. The learned counsel here referred to the prisoner's previous pacific career when in California, and concluded by an appeal to the Jury for their careful consideration.

Witnesses on behalf of the prisoner were here called.

Joseph Heywood testified he knew the prisoner in California and also for 3 years in this country; his character was good, so far as he knew him, and his habits quiet; did not think the prisoner would have been guilty of murder, judging from his previous character.

George Norman Hyde—Knew the prisoner; had known him for twenty years, first in California and afterwards in this country; his general character was good so far as witness knew; had never heard anything bad about him; did not think from his previous knowledge of the prisoner that he would commit wilful murder.

Hugh Nelson, sworn—Knew Schooley first about 1860, and intimately for about two years last past; his general character was that of a peaceable man; would not think from his knowledge of prisoner that he would commit wilful murder.

Cross examined by the Attorney-General—Have heard since the shooting that prisoner carried derringers about with him.

Uriah Nelson, merchant, sworn—Knew the prisoner at Yale, but not intimately; had known more of him during the past six years; his general character was good; would not think from knowledge of prisoner's general character that he would commit wilful murder.

Cross-examined by the Attorney-General—He had heard that after drinking he was very quarrelsome; that that was his natural propensity.

J. F. Hickson, sworn—Knew the prisoner for about two years; his character, so far as he knew was good; quiet in his habits; not likely to commit wilful murder.

Crossexamined by the Attorney-General—Knew him intimately for six weeks.

Robt. Young, sworn—Knew prisoner for three years and his character was good; quiet in his habits; not the sort of man likely to commit murder.

Philip Woolacott, gaoler at Victoria, sworn—Prisoner was in his charge since arrest; was sometimes excited, at other times quiet; expressed his sorrow on hearing what he had done; when excited attempted to hurt himself with a bar.

Capt. Parsons, sworn—Knew the prisoner for the past six or seven years; his character very good, except when under the influence of liquor.

Joseph Lovett, sworn—Knew the prisoner for about 2 years; intimately for the past six months; character was good; had noticed his habits; thought his mind was troubled, for he was downcast and had little to say; did not question his sanity from what he had seen of him.

The Counsel for the defence scid they would not avail themselves of the right of the right of reply. The Attorney-General also declined to reply.

Judge Gray, addressing the Jury, intimated that his address would be a lengthy one, occupy some three hours, and put it to them whether they would hear him then or prefer an adjournment till next day.

The Jury, after consultation, were in favor of adjournment, and the Court adjourned until Thursday at 11 a.m.

WATER WORKS.—Mr. J. Boscowitz yesterday secured the whole of the Waterworks debentures ($100,000) by paying the requisite ten per cent, into the Bank. This is an act which reflects credit on the subscriber's public spiritedness, and evinces his full confidence in the permanent prosperity of the country.

TO BE BROKEN UP.—Capt. Insley will bring down the Fraser River steamboat Lillooet, which, having passed her days of usefulness, will be broken up and the engines placed in a new and somewhat smaller boat to be built here.

MISSING.—Michael Adams has disappeared mysteriously from the house of a friend in this city. His friend (Benjamin Ramie) lives on Store Street, near the Telegraph Hotel and would be glad to hear from him.

Municipal Council.

The Mayor took the Chair at 7:30 p.m. Present—Couns. Hayward, Drummond, Mitchell, Gowen, Taylor and Morton.

COMMUNICATIONS.

From Messrs. Rhodes, Jay, McTeague, and others asking that Chatham street be gravelled. Laid on table.

From Messrs Fee, Storey and others complaining of the grade of Quadra and Pioneer streets. Communication referred to City Engineer to report.

From Messrs. Gribbell, Carne and others respecting the grading, graveling, etc., of Pioneer street.

Coun. Morton said it was the practice last year to accompany such applications with a promise to pay for the graveling; this year there seemed to be a departure from this custom.

His Worship said that the taxes were higher now and that the Council ought not to exact any such assistance.

Coun. Drummond objected to the view of His Worship.

Coun Gowen explained that the offer for graveling had been made as an inducement for the immediate execution of the work required, the Council working chiefly on those streets where the labor afforded the most accommodation to the citizens generally. Communication received and laid on the table.

From Mr. J. D. Robinson, Water Commissioner, stating that Mr. J. Boscowitz had takne the water debentures at par at 7 per cent. interest, and lodged $10,000 in the bank, being 10 per cent. on the amount.

From W. Bowden recommending Mr. Lindsay as constable. Mr. Lindsay was appointed.

FINANCE.

The following accounts took the usual course: Labor on streets, $149; R. T. Williams, $6; H. Howarth, $8 25: Chas. Kent (funeral of Mrs. S. Nelson), $45 Herdman, $22 35; G. Lawrence, $24; A. Strong, $16.

DISTRESS REGULATING BYLAW.

This Bylaw was read a second time and passed.

Contract for constructing notice-boards, cautioning against the practice of fast driving over the bridges, was awarded to T. Storey, $17.

The Clerk stated that no record of any committee existed, or of any authority being granted to Mr. Bunster, to construct the culvert mentioned last Wednesday.

Moved by Coun. Taylor, seconded by Coun. Gowen, that the account be returned to Mr. Bunster, and that he be informed that the Council knew nothing of the matter. Carried.

Coun. Gowen stated that the Secretary of the Gas Works said that the weather having broken he was prepared to commence the work of placing the remaining gas lamps, and he would move that 5 more lamps be erected. Carried.

On motion of Coun. Drummond, the City Surveyor was ordered to prepare a map showing the reserves which the Corporation desire to have transferred to them by the Dominion Government, and a committee of 3, viz: Couns. Drummond, Hayward and Gowen be appointed to wait on the representative of the Dominion Government now in this city, and explain the subject to him with a view to his placing the matter before the Canadian Authorities.

Adjourned.

Grog for Cassiar.

Towards the close of last year the resident American Consul applied to his government for permission for spirituous liquors to pass through American territory from Fort Wrangel to British territory beyond. Yesterday the Consul received the following reply, showing, as it does, that the United States authorities are disposed to meet our trade in a liberal spirit:—

Headquarters Military Division of the Pacific.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 5, 1873.

[Special Orders, No. 18.]

Under the direction of the Secretary of War the trans-shipment of spirituous liquors from Victoria, Vancouver Island, is authorized at Fort Wrangel, Alaska, throughout the territory of the United States to British Columbia under such regulations as may be established by the Treasury Department. By Order of Major-General Schofield,

J. C. KELTON.
Asst. Adj't-Gen.

VALUABLE PACKAGES BY MAIL.—Mr. Wallace, P. O. Inspector, notifies that the sending of gold dust and bullion through Her Majesty's mails in the Province of British Columbia will be suspended from 1st April next. During the past ten months nearly all the treasure has come by mail in 4lb packages.

THE propeller California left Portland at 4 o'clock last evening for Victoria *via* Neah Bay and Port Townsend. She will sail hence for Sitka on Saturday.

THE steamer Enterprise, with Mr. and Mrs. Edgar, Mr. and Mrs. Grahame, Dr. Davie, Mr. Saul, M. P. P., and several other passengers, sailed for New Westminster yesterday.

VERY ILL.—A telegram from New Westminster states that Dr. McInnes is very low. Dr. Davie of this city was summoned to attend him.

CARIBOO polls on Saturday. Thompson forever!

THE Schooley case will be given to the jury to-day after a charge by Judge Gray.

The Sinking Saved.

The combination of tonic, alterative and stimulating properties in Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, especially adapts that famous specific to the cure of chronic forms of disease, when the strong influence of a long protracted morbid habit is to be surmounted. In chronic dyspepsia, and liver complaint, and in chronic constipation and other obstinate diseases it is beyond comparison the best remedy that can be taken. As a means of restoring the strength and vital energy of persons who are sinking under the debilitating effect of painful disorders, this is confessedly unequalled The permanent tonics included in this preparation are associated with a diffusible stimulant absolutely pure, and the tendency of these elements is modified by the presence of alterative ingredients, slower in their operation and capable of producing more lasting local and general effects. For feeble convalescents and in all phases of debility, it is the best as well as the most agreeable of restoratives.

A. GILMORE has just received a large assortment of Canadian and English Custom-made Clothing, which he will sell at Reduced Prices; therefore the public are invited to call and select for themselves and make their purchases before going elsewhere. ***

Municipal Liberality.

VICTORIA, 18th. March, 1874.

EDITOR COLONIST.—I was informed yesterday by the Clerk of the Municipal Council that a cheque on the Bank of British North America awaited my acceptance at the Council Chambers to pay me for my services as special constable in arresting prisoner Schooley on the 22d. of January last. In consequence of which notification, I went to the Council Chambers and was presented with the draft. The cheque bore the signatures of two Councillors and of His Worship the Mayor and called for the sum of ($2 50) two dollars and fifty cents in my favor. I declined to accept it, and I now beg through your valuable paper to publicly thank the Council for their prudent liberality which does alike credit to their scientific principles of Municipal economy and to their intelligent appreciation of a public service rendered. Our citizens will no doubt congratulate themselves upon having their Municipal funds in such careful keeping. Should, however, our worthy councillors find during their term of office that the financial condition of the city can spare the amount they voted in my behalf I would respectfully suggest that they donate it to the Orphan Asylum.

I am Sir,
Yours obediently,
W. H. KAY.

By Electric Telegraph.

EXCLUSIVE TO THE COLONIST.

LAST NIGHT'S DISPATCHES.

Up-Country.

BARKERVILLE, March 17—The Rev. Mr Hall delivered a lecture last night at the Wesleyan Church, the proceeds of which netted about $80 and will be applied towards the liquidation of the parsonage debt.

Barnard's Express left here on Saturday afternoon with Messrs. Kurtz and John Parham as passengers for Victoria. Mr. Kurtz has in charge two destitute girls who are to be placed in the Protestant Orphan Asylum.

The Lane & Kurtz Co. are now running a balloon drift to intercept the water in the drive. The drive is in a distance of 50 feet; they hope to be able to resume work in the face.

Good prospects have been struck in Conklin's Gulch. The Schorling Co. washed up 26 ozs. last week. It is said that with proper facilities for working the ground it would yield as much as the richest claims on Lightning. Several companies are preparing to work the claims back of the town early in the Spring.

California.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 18.—Arrived—Ajax, Portland; California, Astoria.

Sailed—Ship John Jay, Puget Sound.

Rev. Father Powers admits that he cowhided, knocked down and kicked Mrs. Bella Brown, who was arrested for insanity a few days since. She went into St. Patrick's Church and made use of language which enraged him. Her friends threaten to commence a suit for damages against the priest. The woman was not sent to Stockton.

Greenbacks, 89¼ @ 90.

Eastern States.

NORTH CAROLINA, March 17.—The passengers from the west by this morning's train, confirm the report of rumbling noises on the surface and general upheaving of Bald Mountain in Western Carolina. The people on and in the vicinity of the mountain are leaving as a volcanic upheaval is expected.

Reporters leave this morning for the mountain.

NEW YORK, March 17.—The ship Lord of the Isle from Portland, Oregon, arrived at Liverpool on March 2nd. On the 6th ult. when running in a heavy gale from the northwest, she shipped a very heavy sea which did considerable damage and washed one unfortunate seaman overboard.

WASHINGTON, March 17.—In the Senate to-day Hager presented a resolution of the California Legislature asking that lands heretofore withdrawn in California for the benefit of the Atlantic and Pacific Railroad Co. be restored to the public domain, the Railroad Co. having forfeited its land grants by the non-compliance with its charter.

Europe.

BERLIN, March 17.—The Prussian *Cross Gazette* intimates that Reichstadt will be dissolved if it persists in its refusal to fix the ordinary strength of the army at 300,000 men, as demanded by the Government.

VIENNA, March 17.—The Roman Catholic Bishops in Reichstadt threaten to withdraw if the passage of the ecclesiastical bill is proposed.

LONDON, March 17.—Special dispatches to the *Daily News* from Central Asia represent that anarchy reigns in Khiva.

India.

CALCUTTA, March 11.—In Tierhoot district 100,000 starving people have applied for relief during the past few days.

Washington Territory.

LA CONNER, March 18.—Mrs. Saul Tingley, while in a fit of temporary insanity, yesterday morning between 1 and 2 a.m., got out of bed from the side of her sleeping husband, took her child, an infant about 14 months old, and jumped into the Skaget River. Both were drowned. The bodies were discovered this morning and will be buried to morrow.

OLD CHICORY is almost a thing of the past. Finlayson's Coffee presides over the present. It has now superseded what used to be claimed as "superior to any other manufactured on this coast," and will soon be found on every well-furnished table in the Province. Prepared at his premises on Fort street, and sold by all the principal dealers. ***

A WARNING is given to those boys who so coolly steal books, etc. They are marked and known, and would have been exposed before this but for consideration of their parents. Beware, therefore, in future or speedy punishment may be expected. *

FELL'S COFFEE, superior to any other manufactured on the Coast, may be obtained of all respectable dealers throughout the Province. ***

English Mail.

An innovation is to be tried in London club life. It is proposed to establish a club, the members of which shall be of both sexes.

Sir Samuel Baker has been appointed Rede Lecturer in the University of Cambridge, England, for the ensuing year.

The London TIMES has advices from Stoke-upon-Trent, 24th ult., that the depression in the pottery trade, so far as relates to the United States, is serious almost beyond precedent.

The Trustees of the British Museum have resigned their patronage into the hands of the Government. About four hundred persons are employed in the connection with the Museum.

There was a curious sale in London last week. The "lots" comprised the west gates of St Paul's Cathedral, facing Ludgate Hill, together with the north and south sides of the railings. The lots went for £349. They were cast from best Sussex charcoal iron, a hundred and sixty years ago, and the cost then was £20,000.

A furrier professes to have discovered that the wood of the allantus tree is a protection against moths than cedar. It is well known that during the ravages of the measuring-worm here, before the introduction of sparrows, the allantus was the only tree untouched by that pest.

The Swiney Prize of the British Society of Arts, consisting of a silver goblet, value $5000, containing gold coin to the same amount, has been awarded to Sir Robert J Phillimore for his work entitled "Commentaries on International Law." The prize is given under a bequest of the late Dr. Swiney, and is awarded every fifth anniversary of his death to the author of the best treaties on jurisprudence published in the interval.

MATRIMONIAL QUARREL.—An altercation, apparently of a very trivial origin, between a Mr. and Mrs. Sweet, at Plymouth, ended in the husband plunging a sword through his wife's temples. He then hired a cab and drove to the Guildhall, where, entering the magistrate's room, he acted with real or assumed madness, throwing his money and keys out of the window, and raving about various matters. Mrs. Sweet, meanwhile, had been found lying on the floor of the chamber in which the quarrel had taken place, quite dead.

The grocers of London are beginning to rejoice, for their most dangerous foe has evinced symptoms of weakness. The spirit of cupidity has begun to manifest itself in the Civil Service Supply Association, a co-operative body which was formed to bring down prices, and appearances justify the belief that it is going to pieces. It has been prosperous for years, and extended its business rapidly, and it is that prosperity which threatens it with disintegration. Its origin is well known, for the experiment has had an interests for all communities, A few clerks in the Civil Service on small salaries found themselves unable to make both ends meet They therefore combined to purchase goods at wholesale prices, and divide them among the members. So successful was the scheme from its very commencement that it grew rapidly, and for several years past the Association has been selling goods to the value of a half a million sterling annually, while for the year that had just ended the business has been £700,000. The goods are sold at wholesale prices, with a small addition to pay working expenses, and every year there has been a profit over these expenses of about 3 per cent. This has hitherto been applied to the further reduction of prices, but an efforts has recently been made to divert it from this purpose to the pocket of the shareholders. This would be all very well if all the members of the Association owned shares; but they do not, and here is where the opposition is, for a very large number of members merely hold tickets entitling them to make purchases at the store of the Association. It is clear that, if there should be a division of profits, the value of shares would be proportionately increased; they would be bought and sold, and, as their mercantile value went up, the stronger would be the pressure put upon the managers to squeeze the largest possible dividends out of the business; the co-operative character of the Association would be lost, and the organization become a mere trading company. The question has already been agitated to a great extent, and the shareholders have succeeded so far that a resolution, calling for an alteration of the rules of the Association with a view to prevent the further issue of shares, has been passed on a VIVA VOCE vote, and will probably be confirmed by ballot. The non-shareholders threaten to apply for an injunction to prevent the consummation of the scheme, while a new co-operative association is spoken of as probable.

Dominion Mail Summary.

OTTAWA, Feb. 27.—The Premier's speech at the banquet last night is the general subject of comment. He is greatly praised for the masterly ability he displayed in handling a dificult subject in presence of curiously mixed assemblage. The banquet was a splendid success. A feature was that on mention of Mr. Howlan's connection with the "Canada First" party the young men present applauded enthusiastically.

It is understood that Mr. Letellier will occupy the position of leader on the Government side in the Senate.

The skating rink was the scene of a great deal of enjoyment on Wednesday afternoon, on account of the Skating Carnival which took place. Nearly 1,000 people were in and around the Rink, amongst whom we noticed many of our leading citizens. Prominent, however, amongst all were observed the Countess of Dufferin, accompanied by Col. Fletcher, the Governor-General being it seems unable to come through slight indisposition. The Vice Regal party, more especially the Countess, seemed to immensely enjoy the keen competition which took place between the various competitors.

MONTREAL, Feb. 25.—Mr. E. Roy was yesterday fined by the Police Magistrate $100 for assaulting Mr. Huot of LE CANADIEN. His friends at once paid the fine for him.

It is reported here that the resignation of the Queen's Bench Judges, the Hon. Messrs. Duval and Badgley, are in the hands of the Government, and that the Hon. Justice Monck has obtained twelve months leave of absence. It is also said that the Hon. A. A. Dorion will be appointed Chief Justice, and Doutre, Q. C., a Judge of the Court of Queen's Bench. Judge Sycott, of Hyacinthe, is also mentioned in connection with a Queen's Bench appointment.

LONDON HOUSE.—By the Prince Alfred Turner, Beeton & Tunstall received a very large lot of Ladies' Costumes which have been bought at a very low price and will be sold at a corresponding rate. Also, a full assortment of Alexandre's Kid Gloves & new patterns, Oxidized Buttons, &c., &c., and the Paray-le-Monial Cloak. ***

HAVING sold off all their old stock, Thos. Wilson & Co. are now offering new goods at very cheap rates. They have just received, among other things, some new Dress Materials suitable for the present season, as a first change from Winter to Spring wear, which will be sold a special bargain. Laces, Trimmings, and Buttons in great variety. *

THE VICTORIA BINDERY.—Books of al descriptions bound in elegant Turkey, Morocco or common sheep. Paper ruled to any pattern. Receipts numbered and perforated. Charts or Maps mounted on linen with rollers attached, or with cover suitable for the pocket.—R. T. WILLIAMS, at T. N. Hibben & Co's. ***

Auction Sales

MORTGAGEE'S SALE.

Valuable Property at Qnesnelmouth

To be sold by

PUBLIC AUCTION

On the premises at Quesnelmouth,

On Thursday, 30th of April, 1874.

AT 12 O'CLOCK, NOON.

The FARM and premises known as Davidson's Ranch, consisting of 160 acres of land or thereabouts, with all improvements thereon.

And also, the BRIDGE across the Quesnelle River and the TRAIL or Roadway from Dog Prairie to the 15-mile House.

TERMS—For Farm: One-third, cash; balance in six and eighteen months, with interest at one per cent. per month.

Bridge and Trail—Cash.

JEROME HARPER.

VICTORIA, March 17, 1874. mh18dw

Plummer & Pagden
AUCTIONEERS,
APPRAISERS, ACCOUNTANTS COMMISSION AGENTS,
Wharf Street, Victoria

BEG TO ANNOUNCE THAT THEY HAVE taken the large building on Wharf Street, opposite the foot of Yates Street. From their lengthened experience in the above branches of business, and by promptness and attention they hope to secure share of the public support.

Stocks, Stock in Trade or Furniture purchased for Cash.

Liberal advances made on Consignments

Books kept or audited, balance sheets made out, statements prepared and a general Accountant's business confidentially transacted.

T. B. HUMPHREYS & CO.,
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SALESROOM—YATES ST, next to Wells, Fargo & Co'

A PUBLIC SALE OF LIVE STOCK WILL be held EVERY SATURDAY at 12 o'clock, noon, at our Cattle Sales Yard, corner Cormorant and Douglas streets.

The above arrangement affords superior facilities to parties wishing to dispose of their stock at Short Notice.

T. B. HUMPHREYS & CO.,
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Dr. CHONG,

JUST ARRIVED FROM CHINA—PHYSician, Surgeon and Accoucheur.
Cormorant street, three doors below Kwong Lee's.
Every description of Chinese Medicines for sale.
Medicines just received from China. ma17

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NOTICE.

DURING MY ABSENCE FROM THE PROvince Mr. James Gibson holds my Power of Attorney and will carry on the Brewery as usual.

A. BUNSTER.
Victoria, March 8, 1874. mh11

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OTTER,

CAPTAIN.....H. G. LEWIS

Will leave for Woodcock's Landing and Fort Wrangel, on **Wednesday, the 11th inst.**

For Particulars as to Freight and Passage, apply on board. mh6

FOR THE CASSIAR MINES.

THE STEAMSHIP

CALIFORNIA,

CAPT. JOHN HAYES.

Will leave Victoria for Sitka and Fort Wrangel, at the mouth of Stekin River, on or about Friday, March 20th.

For Freight or Passage apply to

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THE STEAMSHIP

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Carrying Her Majesty's Mails, will leave Victoria for San Francisco on or about the **11th and 25th** of each month.

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—THEIR—

CONSTITUTION AND OBJECTS

A SERMON,

Preached in Christ Church and St. John's Victoria, January, 1874.

—BY THE—

RIGHT REV. GEO. HILLS, D. D.

Lord Bishop of Columbia.

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PARTIES LEAVING FOR THE CASSIAR country and wishing to have their Letters forwarded by Express, will find a book in which to Register their Names at the office of the undersigned on Yates street.

The first Express will be dispatched at and early date.

Letters coming to Victoria by Post will be called for regularly and forwarded.

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BARNARD'S EXPRESS,

Carrying the Mails,

LEAVES VICTORIA BY

Steamer "Enterprise"

ON WEDNESDAY EACH WEEK

FOR NEW WESTMINSTER.

Express Canoes leave New Westminster the following morning, reaching Yale in time to connect with the Stages leaving Yale on **Mondays,** arriving at Clinton on **Wednesdays** and Barkerville on **Saturdays.**

DOWN TRIP.

Sleighs leave Barkerville on Sunday, arrive at Clinton on **Thursday** and Yale on **Saturday.**

Canoes leave Yale on Monday, arrive at New Westminster in time to connect with Steamer **"Enterprise,"** which arrives at Victoria on **Thursday.**

Connects at Cache Creek with Vance' Express for Okanagan.

At Clinton with Furguson's Express for Lillooet.

And with Galigher for Dog Creek.

At Quesnel, with Sylvester for Omineca.

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MR. W. A. ROBERTSON will carry on the Blacksmithing department, and in returning thanks to the public for past favors, would call their attention to the following:

We do Horseshoeing and Jobbing.

Forging of all kinds of Ironwork used in a new country, such as Mill and Ship work Miners', Stone Cutters' and Masons' Tools.

We call the attention of Farmers to our excellent

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Equal if not Superior to the best ever imported into the Province.

Old Iron Plows fitted up with our Steel Mould Boards are better than new.

A STABLE beneath the shop for the acommodation of farmers' teams.

Orders from the country solicited and promptly attended to.

Charges Moderate to suit the times.

N.B.—We have on hand and for Sale:

4 Lumber and Farm Wagons,
1 Spring Wagon, 1 Superior Sulky,
1 Double-seated Sulky,
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(Founded in Victoria, B.C., 24th February, 1860.)

THE POSITION OF THE ABOVE SOCIETY at the end of 1873, as compared with 1872, is as follows:—

1873.

A house and improvements	$4,495 06
Land	850 00
Furniture	1,010 93
Savings Bank	1,000 00
Cash on hand	331 38
	$7,687 37

1872.

A house and improvements	$4,091 30
Land	850 00
Furniture	982 31
Cash	723 60
	$6,637 21
Difference in favor of 1873	1,050 16

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

Dr.	
Balance on hand in January, 1873	$ 723 60
Collections for 12 months by Chauveau and Guegan	2,355 00
Collections by H. Duchein, B.C.	234 00
" Martin, Lillooet	15 00
" C. M. Chambers, Burrard Inlet	95 00
" Girod, Quesnelle	60 00
" J.K. Suter, New Westminster	55 00
Received from T. Martin	30 00
Patients admitted to the hospital	92 00
Sale of hay	2 50
Donation by Mme. Hett	12 00
Nett proceeds of the Pic-nic	351 43
Interests by Savings Bank	7 23
Fine for non-attendance	1 00
Money refunded	4 00
	$4,037 76
Cr.	
Remuneration to Chuveau and Guegan	$ 812 50
" Sick Patients	10 00
Commission for Collection on $2,355—10¾ ct.	235 50
Money refunded	12 00
Washing for 12 months	71 12
Vegetables and Fish for 12 months	112 35
Meat, "	159 50
Groceries, "	184 39
Milk, "	60 92
Bread, "	100 63
Coal, "	120 00
Drugs, "	319 84
Dr. Ash "	200 00
Advertisements and Printing	57 00
Stationery	9 75
Insurance	41 25
Assistance at the Hospital	78 25
Labor for maintaining the garden	35 25
Liquors for medical purposes	26 00
Furniture	28 62
Benevolence	70 00
Sundry repairs, such as painting the house, making entrance gate, etc.	413 75
Sundry Expenses	7 75
Funeral expenses for T. Martin	40 00
Deposit with the Savings Bank	1,000 00
Cash on hand	331 38
	$4,037 76

J. KRIEMLER,
Treasurer, F.B.S.

Officers for 1873:

E. BOULLET—President.
P. TISSET—Vice President,
J. KRIEMLER—Treasurer,
M. CAMSUSA—Secretary.

Directors.

P. Bocion, F. Leslouis, C. H. Trehart,
Louis Redon, Eugene DeCaux.

DR. ASH—Medical Attendant.
PIERRE GUEGAN—Attendant at Hospital.
MOORE & CO. and THOS. SHOTBOLT—Druggists.
Corresponding Member for British Columbia—H. DUCHEMIN.
For Burrard Inlet—W. SPRINGER.
For New Westminster—J. K. SUTER.
For Quesnelle—F. GIROD.
For Clinton—C. E. POPE.

Any person in good health may become a member, without distinction of religion or nationality.

Every subscriber is admitted to the hospital free of any charge whatever. Doctor, treatment and attendance, with all the comforts of a home, secured to them.

Subscribers not wishing to enter the hospital can consult the Doctor of the Society and get medicines free of charge. ja13

ANNO TRIGESIMO SEPTIMO.

11th March, 1874.

Municipal By-law

Fixing the time when the Municipal Assessment Roll for the year 1874 shall be returned by the Assessor of the City of Victoria, British Columbia, to the Clerk of the Municipal Council of the said City.

WHEREAS it is expedient that the time should be fixed within which the City Assessor shall return the Assessment Roll of the City of Victoria, B.C., for the year 1874 to the Clerk of the Municipal Council of the said City.

Be it therefore enacted by the Mayor and Municipal Council of the City of Victoria, B.C., that the Assessment Roll of the said City for the year 1874 shall be returned to the Clerk of the Municipal Council of the City aforesaid on the Thirty-first day of March, 1874 in pursuance of sub-section 1 of section 24 of "The Municipality Act, 1872."

This Bylaw may be cited for all purposes as the Municipal Bylaw fixing the time for the return of the Municipal Assessment Roll, 1874.

Passed the Municipal Council on the 11th day of March, 1874. WM. DALBY, Mayor.

W. LEIGH, Clerk to the Municipal Council.

City Clerk's Office, 11th March, 1874. mh14

HENRY SHORT,

GUN & RIFLE MAKER,

GOVERNMENT STREET, NEAR PANDORA,

HAS JUST RECEIVED DIRECT FROM LONdon a large assortment of

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During the time that I have had the honor of being your representative, I have tried to the best of my ability to act for the interests of our Province, and if you think that I have done so, and that you can confide in me for the future I shall look upon your verdict in my favor as my best recompense.

A change of Ministry has taken place; the party under whose auspices British Columbia entered Confederation has been driven from power, under circumstances which are no doubt familiar to you all. What effect this change may have in our relations with the Dominion remains to be seen; however, I consider that in any case the first duty of every British Columbia member should be to ignore parties and prejudices and give a fair trial to the new Administration, with a cordial support so long as they carry out the Terms of Union in their integrity.

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Annual Report, 1873:

Presented at the annual meeting of Subscribers held 14th January, 1874.

Treasurer's Statement:

RECEIPTS.		AMOUNTS IN 1872
Balance in hand for 1872	$446 60	
Subscriptions	579 50	$605 50
Donations	8 87	54 50
Interest from Savings Bank	13 00	
Government B.C. Grant		150 00
Refund		25 00
Money Boxes		6 00
	$1147 97	$901 00
EXPENDITURE.		
Paid to Secretary for relief granted exclusive of $23-12 due for relief during Nov., 1873 $552 83		
For Printing & Sundries 31 49	$584 32	$445 00
Balance on hand at Savings Bank and Bank B.C	563 65	446 00
	$1147 97	$901 00

The above figures show a falling off in the Receipts of 1873, as compared with 1872, whilst the Expenditure of the year for relief of distress was considerably more than on the previous year. No Government Grant was received during 1873.

During the year help was afforded in the cases of 30 persons or families, the relief being continued in some instances (where the circumstances called for it) during several months, and the Relief Committee have good reason to believe that the aid rendered has done good service and been applied with due regard to the objects the Society seeks to fulfil.

Amongst the number of those relieved during the past year were 2 widows with children, 2 tradesmen and 2 mechanics (with families) whose reduced circumstances had arisen through ill health or other misfortune. Eleven indigent persons were assisted to reach their homes and friends, and the Society has in this respect again to commend the owners of the mail steamer "Prince Alfred" for the readiness invariably shown by them to further the objects of the Society.

The Ladies Committee (organized and distributed over 10 districts, covering the whole of the City) have proved most useful, and have prevented much delay in the administration of assistance from time to time. One or two attempts at imposition have to be recorded, which however were met and frustrated; but it is gratifying to know that the Society's help has been found acceptable where the recipients would have shrunk from making known their distress known.

The good objects of the Society are so broad and comprehensive in their character that they should command the sympathy and support of the well disposed throughout the Province, and it is therefore hoped that the receipts of the present year may be augmented so that the usefulness of the Society may not in any event be jeopardized.

ja16 R. FINLAYSON President.

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